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E. O. ALLEN CAUGHT.

Man Who So Skillfully Escaped From Sheriff Keown.

Arrested in Bowling Green With a Circus Show.

E. O. Allen, has been arrested at Bowling Green, and will be held pending the arrival of a requisition which will take him to Illinois, where he is wanted for the alleged theft of some jewelry.

Allen formerly lived in Owensboro and worked for the Owensboro Pants Manufacturing company, he left soon after the fire.

In a short time it was learned that he was wanted in Illinois for the robbery of a jewelry store. He had come to Ohio county among his relatives, and Sheriff Keown learning of the fact, went after him. Allen was captured after a hard chase and placed on the train en route to Owensboro. Suddenly the prisoner threw himself out the window and was gone. The sheriff pulled the bell rope to stop the train, but it went some distance before it could be brought to a stand. Sheriff Keown then chased his man for several miles, at first on foot and then on horseback, but he got away.

Sheriff Keown never gives up when he gets after a criminal, and he felt sure that he would get him in the end. His former home was watched and his friends were kept under surveillance. At last it was learned that Allen was with a circus, and was thought to be working a bunco game on farmers. There are many circuses, and Sheriff Keown got a list of those with dates in this State. He notified the officers at Bowling Green that Allen would probably be there with a circus that appeared there Saturday and as soon as the show arrived they commenced looking for him. He was not found until the close of the night performance, when he was arrested. The officers say that Allen is an all-round crook and they expect him to get a long sentence in Illinois.

DUKE SUEED FOR DIVORCE.

Daughter of Levi P. Morton Begins Proceedings.

Paris, June 6.—In consequence of differences between the Duke and Duchess of Valentia, steps have been taken to dissolve the marriage.

The Duchess was Helen Morton, a daughter of Levi P. Morton, of New York. It is learned in authoritative quarters to-night that the Duke's mother, having asked the sanction of the Pope of an annulment on the ground that the marriage had been without issue, the Duchess has applied to the civil courts for a legal dissolution, the grounds being withheld for the present.

The Duke, who is a scion of the ancient and princely house of Talleyrand-Sagen, is at his magnificent chateau on the Loire.

The Duchess is in Paris at the family residence adjacent to the boulevard St. Germain. She is in constant communication with her father, who has been here for some time.

Close friends have long realized that an estrangement had taken place, for the Duke stayed continually at his chateau, while the Duchess remained in Paris.

Thus far only members of the two families and other intimate friends are aware of the steps that have been taken.

Barnett-Foster.

Last Friday's issue of the Johnson County Herald published at Clarksburg, Arkansas, contains the following announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foster announce the marriage of their daughter, Fan-

nie, and Mr. U. C. Barnett, to take place on the afternoon of June 22, 1904.

This is our own U. C. and his many friends here will receive the announcement of his coming nuptial with the kindest remembrance for him. His sterling worth and true manhood has endeared him to many of Ohio county's people. Especially is Mr. Barnett popular in the various sections of the county where he has taught school.

He has been absent from our county and State for the past two or three years in Arkansas, where he has been engaged in teaching.

DEMOCRATIC POW-WOW.

Handful of the Unterrified Comes Together in Court Hall and Resolute.

Saturday at 1 o'clock the local politicians together with some dozen out-of-town Democrats assembled in the court hall and were called to order by chairman T. J. Smith who made a happy little speech, after which W. H. Barnes was elected chairman by a majority of fifteen (receiving all the votes). He then appointed the usual committee on resolutions. The committee retired, leaving Ben Ringo in the hall. After repeated calls by himself for himself he got up and addressed himself. He was liberally applauded. Gradually his voice became fainter and weaker until it eventually petered out, and the hall became as silent as the body when the spirit has departed.

For long the committee filed into the convention hall and read a leaf torn from an ancient report of the secretary of agriculture. This was adopted as the sentiment of the convention amid thunders of applause. The convention then took up the question "Who struck Billy Patterson," and argued it at great length. One delegate took the ground that it was W. R. Hearst, and delivered a speech in advocacy of his theory which, if reduced to manuscript, would cover the Jackson purchase. The previous question was called for, and the resolution was carried. The convention then adjourned to meet again in the remote subsequently.

A BRIEF SUMMARY

Of The Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Baptist Association.

The fifth Sunday meeting of the Ohio county Baptist Association was held at the Hartford Baptist church May 28 and 29, 1904. At 10 o'clock on Saturday, the meeting was called to order by the chairman, Rev. E. W. Coakley. After the devotional service officers were elected for the meeting. Rev. E. W. Coakley was chosen Chairman, O. M. Shultz, Secretary J. N. Jarnagin Treasurer.

The program was vigorously carried out. Many of the discussions developed a great deal of interest which will result in great good to the churches represented.

The following brethren took leading parts in the discussion of the various topics: E. W. Coakley, B. F. Jenkins, Felix Lake, L. P. Drake, J. D. Maddox, J. P. Miller, J. T. Casebier, J. H. Burnett, T. J. Acton, J. N. Jarnagin, Norris Lashbrooks and O. M. Shultz.

Sunday morning Rev. W. P. Harvey, of Louisville, delivered a strong sermon on some distinctive Baptist doctrine. The house was packed to overflowing, many visitors from a distance being present. Sunday afternoon was observed as a memorial service to Dr. J. S. Coleman, deceased the founder of the Hartford church. A number of appropriate talks were made in which his noble life and deeds of self sacrifice for the cause of Christ were vividly recounted.

The meeting was well attended, many visitors from sister churches being present.

The next meeting will be held the fifth Sunday in July.

THE CROPS.

Improved Condition Reported in the State.

Extremely Favorable Weather Gave All Kinds of Products a Fine Start.

The following is the weekly crop report, issued by the weather bureau at Louisville:

The weather was very favorable during the week. Abundant rains were followed by high temperatures and all crops made rapid advancement.

Wheat has improved greatly. As a whole the yield will be considerably below the average.

The weather conditions during the week were excellent for tobacco setting. A large part of the crop was put out and is starting off nicely.

Corn advanced rapidly. A good stand has been secured in most places and the warm nights during the latter part of the week caused a very rapid growth.

Rye has made good progress and oats have improved.

Gardens have improved and are now in good condition. Potatoes are very promising.

Apples and peaches are making a better showing than was expected, but will not make nearly a full crop. Pastures and meadows show great improvement.

Hemp is doing well, and millet and cow peas are making good advancement.

Farm work is generally well up, but in some localities the rainfall has been so heavy as to interfere with cultivating crops and, as a result, the weeds are getting a good start.

ROCKPORT.

June 8.—Messrs. Cleve Harrell and Keller Haynes, of this place, have gone to Evansville, Ind., to work.

Paul Landrum, who has been clerking for D. F. Gibbs, has resigned and gone to St. Louis to attend the World's Fair for a few weeks.

Oscar Poone left Tuesday for his home in Muncie, Ind.

Miss Ollie Ried visited her sister Mrs. R. T. Wedding, at McHenry, last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. L. D. Smith, of Louisville, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Ried, of this place.

Josie Ham returned home from a few day's visit at Central City.

Jess Tapp was here Tuesday on business.

S. D. Warden, Echols, was in town Monday.

Charles Layton and Sam Brown went to Hartford Tuesday on important business.

Roy Deeter will leave Saturday night for St. Louis, to attend the World's Fair.

Miss Mertie Render, Providence, was in this city Tuesday.

Mabel Maddox and Madalene Fulkerson visited in Centertown Monday afternoon.

Mr. Jesse Smith and Walter Browning attended the ball game of Bloomer Girls at Beaver Dam Monday.

Miss Lonnie Sullivan, of Sullivan, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Jackson, this week.

The Rockport Deposit Bank is now completed.

Mrs. M. J. Reid and daughter, Marguerite, are visiting in Hartford this week.

Mrs. Bruce Hill, of Logansport, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bob Harrell, of this place.

Mr. George Deeter has gone to visit in Muncie, Ind., for a few weeks.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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Dr. J. C. Watson

A Grand Barbecue

Will be given in the beautiful grove near Schroeder schoolhouse on Saturday, June 11, 1904. Large preparations are being made. A sumptuous dinner will be served. Something new! A big minstrel show has been secured for this occasion, which will

give an exhibition in the afternoon free. A good string band will furnish music for those who wish to dance. Amusements of various kinds will be on the grounds. Refreshments in abundance will be on the grounds. Different premiums will be awarded. The grounds will be well shaded during the day and beautifully illuminated with light at night. Big ice cream supper at night. Good order will be maintained. D. D. SHROADER, Prop.

CAPT. TRACY INJURED.

Fell Forty Feet Down Elevator Shaft in Custom House at Louisville.

Daniel F. Tracy, an assistant custodian at the customhouse at Louisville, fell from the top of an elevator at the third floor of the customhouse Monday a distance of about forty-five feet, and was severely injured.

His right hip and right arm were broken and it is feared that his spine has been injured.

He never lost consciousness, despite the long fall and painful injuries and as he was lying on a couch at the customhouse before being taken to Norton Infirmary, he turned to Mr. O. A. Beckmann, and said, "Well, I guess I am done for now."

Capt. Tracy was on top of an elevator car tightening a bolt. It is supposed that his wrench slipped and caused him to lose his balance and fell. Men who were working near the elevator shaft heard him cry out, "Lock out." A terrible crash followed, and it was soon discovered what had happened.

The injured man was quickly conveyed to Norton Infirmary where his injuries were treated.

Capt. Tracy is a former citizen of Hartford and has many relatives and friends here, who learned of his unfortunate injury with much sorrow.

LATER.—Wednesday's daily brought us the intelligence that Capt. Tracy was improving and thought to be out of danger.

AT LIVERMORE

Officers Looking For Alleged Assimilator of Others' Money.

Livermore, Ky., June 4.—The police of this place are searching for a man by the name of Richard Roberts, who is accused of stealing \$20 from a family boat owned by Sam Price, says the Owensboro Messenger. Last Wednesday while Price was eating his dinner Roberts came in and asked if he could lay down on the bed, saying he was sick, and Price consented. A pair of Price's pants were on the bed with the money in the pockets. After a few minutes Roberts left and when Price went to get his money it was gone. He at once suspected Roberts and accused him, but he denied it. On the same evening Roberts took a woman acquaintance to Quigg Bros.' store where she spent \$10 dollars, of money. When the girl was questioned she at first denied it, but afterwards acknowledged that Roberts had given her the \$10 and that she spent it. Price immediately swore out a writ against Roberts and placed it in the hands of Marshal Buckley. As soon as Roberts found out that there was a writ against him he left the town and went over in Ohio county, on "The Point," and sent word back that if they would not have him arrested he would send the \$20 to Price. Marshal Buckley has sent word to the sheriff of Ohio county to come down and arrest Roberts, but he will not do it. It is thought Roberts will be arrested in a few days, as his father lives at Livermore and he will soon return home.

The above article was shown to Sheriff Keown's office Deputy and he authorized us to say that no warrant or request from any one had come to him for the arrest of the party mentioned.

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UNCLE SAM MAY CONTROL.

World's Fair Company Must Pay Back Loan.

On Their Failure To Do So Government Will Take Charge.

St. Louis, June 7.—In a letter received by the Exposition Company today, Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasurer, gave formal notification that if payments on the \$4,600,000 Government loan are not promptly forthcoming when due, he, as the guardian of the State Treasurer, would take charge of the receipts and collection of fair tickets.

The letter formally reminds the Exposition Company of the date for the payment of the first installment of the loan, and, inclosed a copy of the rules governing the loan and repayment. These rules set forth that the loan of \$4,600,000 was made to the Exposition Company in the months of February, March, April and May, 1904 and that in return the Government is to have a first lien on the receipts of the fair from paid admissions and concession privileges.

Payments are to be made each half month, the first payment June 15, when 40 per cent. of the gross receipts from June 1 to June 15 shall be surrendered. Thereafter at the first and fifteenth of each month 40 per cent. of the receipts for the previous half month shall be paid, and it is further provided that after the 1st of July the semi-monthly payments shall not be less than \$500,000 each.

Grand Out of Town Excursion

Sunday, June 12th.

Big Four Route.

To the Indiana Gas Belt. Special train leaves 7th Street Union depot at 8 o'clock a. m. Extremely low round trip rates as follows:

Rushville, \$1; Knightstown, \$1; Anderson, \$1.25; Alexandria, \$1.25; Marion, \$1.50.

Tickets on sale at City Ticket Office, No. 359 Fourth avenue, and at depot. S. J. GATES, Gen'l Agt.

HOT WEATHER, NERVOUS WOMEN.



BLANCHE GREY.

MISS BLANCHE GREY, a prominent young society woman of Memphis, Tenn., in a recent letter from 174 Alabama street, says:

"To a society woman whose nervous force is often taxed to the utmost from lack of rest and irregular meals, I know of nothing which is of so much benefit as Peruna. I took it a few months ago when I felt my strength giving way, and it soon made itself manifest in giving me new strength and health."—Blanche Grey.

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Yours Truly,

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Dundee, - Ky.

SOLUTION.

Of the Bedford Murder Mystery Believed to be Coming.

Strong Evidence is in Possession of the Grand Jury.

Bedford, Ind., June 3.—It is believed that the Schaefer murder mystery will yet be solved.

The grand jury which is investigating the murder is now in possession of what is said to be strong evidence which is expected materially to assist in an early solution of the crime. Judge Wilson says it will be necessary, under law, for the grand jury to adjourn Saturday night as the present term of court ends at that time.

Miss Eva Love, a teacher in the public schools and a roommate of Miss Schaefer, appears to be one of the chief figures around whom the grand jury is working. Several women have been before the jury and practically all of them are friends of Miss Love. Mrs. Frank Ellis, known to have been an intimate friend of Miss Love, was the first of these to appear in the jury room, and the report was current that the jury would inquire further into the relations thought to have existed between Miss Love and Miss Schaefer than did the jury which indicted McDonald.

Ham Stout, a night watchman at the Brooks and Carter store mill, will be a witness. It is alleged that about 9:30 o'clock on the night of the murder he discovered a stranger on top of the boiler of the engine room. Stout fired a revolver at the man's head, who fell to the ground badly frightened. The stranger's clothing was wet, he having been out in a heavy rain. He refused to give his name to the night watchman who demanded the visitor's business at the mill. The stranger said he had been piloted to the mill by a certain party (the one now under suspicion), who opened the door leading to the boiler-room, commanding him to climb upon the boiler and dry his clothes. The stranger gave no satisfactory explanation of the business which took him into the rain.

He told Stout he was a workman on the Bloomfield branch of the Monon but this statement when investigated, proved to be untrue. He said he and the man now under suspicion had been "out on a lark."

It later developed that the man with whom the stranger had been was the purchaser of the half pint of Canadian whisky, the empty flask in which it was carried having been found near the cab shed where Miss Schaefer lost her life. The grand jury is expected to thoroughly probe this phase of the case, which was worked up by Myers, policeman, who was prevented from testifying to these points in the McDonald trial because of objections from the State.

Subpoenas have been issued for the editors and publishers of the Brazil Democrats to appear before the grand jury and tell where they obtain information published in a recent editorial in that newspaper.

B. S. Lowe said this morning that he would add \$500 to the reward fund offered for the apprehension of Miss Schaefer's murderer. Ed Thornton, a stone operator, also subscribed \$500. The fund now aggregates \$5,250.

Sketch of Gen. Hill.

Samuel Ewing Hill, who passed quietly to rest at the home of his daughter at Lexington last Friday, was born at Morgantown, Ky., January 30, 1841. He was a son of Judge Daniel S. Hill, a prominent citizen of that place and at his death county judge of Ohio county. General Hill's parents were natives of Butler county, but were of Virginia parentage. He was reared in Hartford, Ohio county, on a farm and from his 10th to his 18th year attended, at intervals, Hartford Seminary. In August, 1862, he enlisted in the company raised by his brother, Capt. John W. Hill, which belonged to the Twelfth Kentucky Union Cavalry, commanded by Q. C. Shanks. He was appointed orderly sergeant, served eighteen months, then on the death of his brother (who was killed at Knoxville, in the service), he was unanimously elected captain of the same company, a fact that he often spoke of with pride. He served with this company through the war, took part in the pursuit of Morgan in his

raids through Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio; was with Burnside in his campaign of 1863-1864; with Sherman in 1864; and, after the fall of Atlanta, was with Stoneman in his expedition against the salt works of Virginia and remained with him until the close of the war. He was breveted Major by the Governor of Kentucky for meritorious conduct on the field; was mustered out of service in 1865, and returned to Kentucky and entered the law office of Hon. H. D. McHenry, of Hartford. He was admitted to the bar in the spring of 1866, but continued his studies until October of that year; was then admitted to the senior class of the Louisville Law School, from which he was graduated in the spring of 1867, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Law. He then returned to Hartford and entered into a partnership with Hon. J. W. Kinchloe, with whom he remained until 1872, the partnership being dissolved by mutual consent on the first of January that year. General Hill, uniting with his former preceptor, H. D. McHenry, with whom he remained for several years.

General Hill represented the county of Ohio in the State Senate for twelve years and was the only Democrat who ever went to the Senate from that district. He was also Adjutant General of the State under Governor Simon Boliver Buckner and it was by virtue of this office that he received his title of General.

General Hill went to Lexington in the year 1892 and entered upon the practice of his profession and for fourteen years was a prominent member of the Fayette county bar. About seven years ago he was appointed United States Commissioner for that district and since then had very creditably held this office.

He was a man of many friends and those who knew him became attached to him by more than ordinary ties. He was a man of attractive intellectual attainments and was widely read and learned in his profession. His nature was sunny and no clouds were dark enough to cast a gloom over his genial disposition.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Bribery.

Russel Sage was, in early life, an errand boy in a Troy cigar store.

At a certain directors' meeting, referring to his boyhood days in Troy, Mr. Sage said:

"I remember well a frequent visitor to our Troy grocery, a rich young farmer from Schaghticoke. He had fallen in love with a new York girl who had spent the summer in Schaghticoke, and in the autumn he called on her in the city and proposed marriage.

"The story goes that as soon as she refused him, the young man put on his hat and stalked out of the house. Once outside, though, an idea struck him, and, returning, he said:

"Would the tower of Europe be any inducement?"

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JAMES HOWARD.

Story of the Killing of George Baker. And How He Has Been Slandered.

Two interesting letters concerning the Howard Defence Fund were received by the Louisville Herald recently. One was from a "Jackson Democrat," 84 years old inclosing \$5 for the appeal for fair play. The other was properly enough, anonymous, and contains this statement:

"You might be putting your time and paper to better uses than collecting money for assassin Jim Howard, who has killed other men before Goebel. I would not give a cent to save his life from the rope.

We pass over the uncharitableness of the spite behind these words. The writer of them seemed instinctively to be so ashamed of them that he would not sign his name.

It is undoubtedly the fact, however, that there are many persons who have been led by unsparing abuse of Howard to believe that he is an assassin, with a record of a man-killer, merely because, when he went to Frankfort at the time Mr. Goebel was so foully slain, he was seeking a pardon for the killing of George Baker, who has been described throughout as "old man Baker." One of the outrageous wrongs perpetrated on Howard in his first trial was in permitting the prosecution to ask the question whether he had not killed "old man Baker" while the latter was on his knees begging for his life. Of course, the question was ruled out but it had been asked and the injury was done in allowing the idea to be established that Jim Howard had wantonly murdered George Baker. Democratic papers have harped on him as an assassin until the idea that he is one has become more or less prevalent.

It is true that Jim Howard did kill George Baker. He has never denied it. He has admitted it before three juries before whom he was tried for the act and he justified himself. So much so that three juries refused to convict disagreeing, and the Judge and the Commonwealth's Attorney had determined before the next trial to dismiss the indictment on the ground that no jury would convict, and that he was justified. The story of George Baker's death involves a cruel episode, but the cruelty was not Howard's.

Jim Howard was teaching school at Manchester, in Clay county, six or seven years ago, a respected and well-behaved citizen, when late one night a friendly messenger arrived with the information that Howard's father, brother and forest-brother had been ambushed and assassinated by George Baker and some fellows on the road near Baker's house. Baker would not even permit the bodies to be removed from the road where they lay, and where, in their dying agony, he had brutally stamped their faces with his boot-heels. He had announced that the bodies should lie there "until the hogs or the buzzard ate them," and sent that word tauntingly to Jim Howard.

At daylight next morning Jim Howard mounted the messenger's horse armed with a Winchester rifle and two revolvers, and set out to rescue his dead. He was stopped near the scene of the murder by friends who confirmed the message he had received, and told him the bodies were still being watched in the road by the murders and that if he went to the scene he would be waylaid. Howard pushed on, however, and when near Baker's house was fired upon and found himself in ambush. A skillful horseman, a brave and cool man he threw himself upon his horse's neck and galloped through the ambush. Just as he was turning a bend in the road he suddenly met George Baker approaching also on horseback. Baker went into his hosters, or saddiebags, for his pistol, but Howard was too quick for him and shot him through the body. As Baker was falling from his horse he asked Howard not to shoot again, but Howard shot him again as he called out and killed him.

By this time Howard's friends had followed him down the road and Baker's followers retreated. When Howard reached the bodies of his father and brothers he found their faces cruelly mutilated, and the heels of George Baker's boots were smeared with their blood. The elder Howard was still alive, and had lain in the road eighteen hours without a drop of water or any attention. The two brothers were dead. The elder

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for

Poor Hair

Howard recovered, after months of nursing.

This is the story that Jim Howard told before three juries, confirmed by his father and his friends. It is full of savagery, but the savagery was not Howard's. It was Baker's. In that mountain land, where men have stern and peculiar standards of personal responsibility and conduct, his action was approved by public opinion; but in any standard of civilization the access of fury which such a deed as Baker's would produce in a son and brother would have excused his summary though sudden vengeance. This story the Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney of the court in which he was tried, who were present at Howard's last trial on the charge of killing Mr. Goebel, were prepared to prove in its substance. Besides this, George Baker was not an old man. He was 52 or 53 and in the full vigor of life and activity, a physical giant with a reputation as a dangerous antagonist.

The killing of George Baker for the savage assassination of his brothers was the sole charge of any nature against Howard previous to the incredible impossibilities alleged against him in the Goebel case. If there had been no politics in the Goebel case any jury in the State would have acquitted him without leaving their seats.

It is time that the groundless and cruel story that this man is an experienced man-killer should be denied. He was a school teacher, with ambition to rise in the world. He bears upon his face and in his manner the stamp of a man with indomitable courage, and the indelible accent of the truthful man unafraid in his voice. To him even Judge Cantrell has always shown respect and courtesy. Mrs. Youtsey when she left the stand, unpermitted to testify as to his innocence, walked over to where he sat in the dock and shook his hand. Not one of his counsel who has not held him in esteem and sympathy. Not one of his jailers who has not held him in respect. A man who has the qualities that inspire such recognition in adversity and crushing misfortune is not of the stuff of which assassins are made.

Jim Howard faces a fate worse than death. He is an innocent man facing that fate, and we do not believe Kentuckians will desert him until he has had his last appeal passed on by an unprejudiced court at Washington.

Sued by His Doctor.

"A doctor has sued me for \$12.50 which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coachella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by all druggists.

Our Long Suit.

It is difficult to predict just what issues the desperate Democracy will force to the front in their effort to displace and to repudiate those which they declared to be of paramount importance in 1896 and again in 1900. But so far as the tariff is concerned Republicans need have no fear. If the tariff is to be trumps in the coming game of politics, that is our long suit, and we may safely count on both points and honors when the score is made up.

INTERESTING CEREMONIES

Kentucky Day at World's Fair Full of Stiring Events.

The plans for Kentucky Day—Wednesday, June 15—at the World's Fair are rapidly maturing. Indications point to this day as being one of the greatest in the history of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. Two special trains will run from Louisville, one on the night of June 13, carrying the Kentucky Press Association, and one on the night of June 14, made up of the Louisville business men. This train will have a private car attached with Governor J. C. W. Beckham, his staff and State officials on board, together with a committee of three from the battleship Kentucky. Both the editors' train and the business men's special will run over the Henderson Route to St. Louis.

On Tuesday, which is June 14, the editors will do a little sight-seeing and in the afternoon be entertained at the Woman's Magazine Building outside the grounds. On that night they will see "The Pike."

On Kentucky day the editors will hold an informal session at 10 o'clock in the morning, followed by a tour of the grounds in automobiles and on Intramural System, winding up at one o'clock with a luncheon probably at the east pavilion, which is being conducted by Mrs. Rhorer, the famous cook-book woman.

The exercises of the day will begin at 11 o'clock at the State Building by the singing of "The Green Kentucky Pastures," a song written by Mrs. Kate Slaughter McKinney, a former Kentuckian. Immediately following this song there will be a presentation of the "house coming colors" of the battleship Kentucky, by a committee from this good old ship to the Governor of the State. There will be addresses by a Kentuckian now in the navy and a Kentuckian now in the army.

The regular exercises for Kentucky Day will be held in Festival Hall and will include a recital on the big pipe organ—the largest ever built. Speeches will be made by President Francis, of the Exposition, a former Kentuckian, by Hon. Harry B. Hawes, of St. Louis, a former Kentuckian, by Governor Beckham and others. At night, from 8 to 11 o'clock, there will be a reception at the Kentucky Building, admission by card. Every Kentuckian is invited. All events of the day will be made as distinctively "Kentuckian" as possible. Kentucky Building souvenir buttons will be given all visitors. Of course, refreshments will be served both during the day and at the evening reception.

Triumphs of Modern Surgery

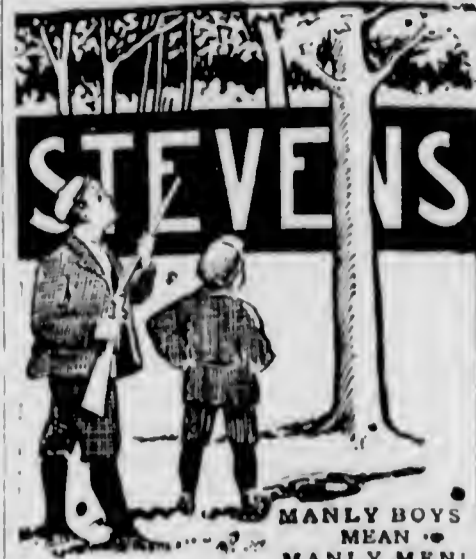
Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished, and put back or they are removed entirely, bones are spliced; pipe stake the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic and dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and is one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and, when applied to such injuries causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which most injuries entail. For sale by all druggists.

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LIFE OF THE RUSSIAN.

Peasants In the Village Lead a Forlorn Existence These Days.

As a rule a Russian village is a forlorn looking place, where the huts of the poor are made of birch logs, with upright oak or pine supports, ceiling of strips of the same birch and walls lined with the crude branches. In these huts there are only two rooms, one of which is not for every day use, but is kept for best occasions. This room houses the sacred images so dear to the heart of every member of the Greek church, to which belong the great mass of the Russian people.

The other room serves the purpose of both kitchen and sleeping room, as one of the principal ideas of comfort to these people, ice and snowbound for so many months of the year, I warrant. In many of the peasant huts no beds are used and the top of a great stove, reaching nearly to the roof, is a much sought sleeping place. Although the conditions make dirt and accompanying insect infestation in the life of these peasants, they are devotedly fond of bathing. The vapor bath in a crude form may be called a national institution and a not unusual picture of a summer afternoon is the village pond filled with woman and children bathers.

Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., asks the readers of this paper to test the value of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. These persons who have been cured by it do not hesitate to recommend it to their friends. Kodol digests what you eat, cures indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. Increases strength by enabling the stomach and digestive organs to contribute to the blood all of the nutriment contained in the food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is pleasant and palatable.

The Death Sentence in England.

The present agitation in England to abolish the pronouncing of the death sentence in cases where it is patent that capital punishment will not follow will probably meet with the approval of most people, who desire that the law should lose nothing of its dignity and at the same time have nothing of unnecessary horror added. The Lord Chancellor pleads for the retention of the form, saying that the passing of the death sentence will act as a deterrent. James I. goggled with death sentences in this manner and got himself rather badly disliked for it. Over the plot in which Raleigh, Cobham, Grey and others were implicated he had the less pleasant ones put to death and "very bloodily handled." Cobham's brother was beheaded "like a gentleman." The Bishop of Chester, with the blood of the latter still upon him, went then to Lord Cobham. Him the bishop exhorted to confession. Other prelates were similarly engaged with Sir Walter Raleigh and Lord Grey. Meantime Markham, another of the conspirators, had been placed upon the scaffold and was about to bow his head to the ax when the Sheriff was called away by a Scotch hireling, and the prisoner left to contemplate the ax for an hour. Then he was led away and told to prepare for death at the end of two hours. Grey's turn was next. He prayed half an hour before the block, then raised himself to die—and was led away, the King sending word that the order of execution had been changed. So forth came Cobham, and having made his last declaration, prepared to take farewell of the world, when the Sheriff stayed the execution and brought forth Markham and Grey—all three thinking that the other two had been executed. They were told, after having suffered the agony of all but death itself, that their lives would be spared. Raleigh's experience was similar. That was how they used to make death sentences act as "a deterrent" in the good old days. There would be danger for those who tried a repetition to day.

Immense Log Shipment.

The largest shipment of logs that ever came down the Kentucky river passed through Lock No. 5 the first of this week, blocking the river for a distance of ten miles, and passing steamers had to stop in their course until the rafts could be prized aside sufficiently to afford them passage. In all these rafts contained 60,000,000

feet of white oak timber, all of which is destined for the shipyards at Liverpool, England. The largest log is sixty feet in length, and is squared to thirty inches, containing 4,500 feet of lumber, and there is no piece in this lot which is less than forty feet in length. The timber will be taken to Cincinnati, where it will be loaded on cars and taken to the seaboard. This is the first run made on a contract of 180,000,000 feet of timber to be taken from Casey county, and all shipped to the same parties. All timbers are squared before starting from the forest. The sixty-foot piece is said to be the largest single stick that ever came down the river.

Fight Will be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall, Miss., says: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggists. Price 50c, and \$1.00 Trial bottles free.

Testing of a Battleship.

It is an anxious yet proud moment for the builders and designers of a big battleship when the tests are about to be applied, which are to expose her faults, if any, lay bare her secret failings, and bring to the surface the manifold queer whims and caprices to which vessels, like horses, are peculiarly prone. The skill and labor of many months are about to undergo the ordeal of the most searching investigation which science and human foresight can apply, and a big check is about to change hands.

In view of the fact that one of the most powerful battleships ever launched, the Shikishima belonging to Japan, may play a very prominent part in the war into which that country and Russia are plunged, it may be interesting to review the trials which this splendid war leviathan underwent before being handed over by the Thames Shipbuilding Company to her purchasers.

A complete staff of artificers, stokers and a small crew of quaint looking, but smart and seamanlike Japanese sailors (who were eventually to work the ship back to the little Empire in the far East) stood under orders, prepared for any emergency which might arise, and preparations were made for the first trial, slow speed. After a six hours' run at two-thirds speed this test was pronounced satisfactory, and, as a matter of fact, it is the least formidable of the series in the eyes of interested parties. Then steering enthusiasts experimented with the steam gear which actuates the rudder, performed evolutions at startling angles and pronounced it excellent.

Next day, after the boilers had been carefully cleaned and overhauled, the engines were put at their top notch for speed and endurance, and no doubt during the run—ten miles—the anxieties of the engine room authorities were neither few nor frivolous. But in justice to the British engineer it must be admitted that, while not exactly welcoming difficulties, he is seldom happier than when successfully meeting them.

Meanwhile the drafts of water were being carefully noted, weights and board being verified, for all deficient armament, stores, etc., have been made up in water ballast and coal, the experts want to know to a pound how much of this precious fuel, which, by the way, is specially hand picked and selected, is being consumed to maintain the steam pressure.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver and Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c, at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. drug Store.

Had Alarm Clock to Wake Him on Campaigns.

Another legendary idol has been shattered. It has been accepted. It has been accepted as one of the proofs of Napoleon Bonaparte's extraordinary mental power that he could go to sleep at any moment and wake up at any set hour. Now it has been dis-

FORTUNE TELLING

Does not take into consideration the one essential to woman's happiness—womanly health. There is many a woman whose future seems absolutely unclouded who is marked by her own condition for future disappointment and distress.

The woman who neglects her health is neglecting the very foundation of all good fortune. For without health love loses its lustre and gold is but dross.

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"Favorite Prescription" has the testimony of thousands of women to its complete cure of womanly diseases.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath.

covered that he depended for waking on an alarm clock. Among the effects of Princess Mathilde, his niece, who died recently, has been found a timepiece made by the celebrated clockmaker of the First Empire period, Abraham Bequet, which, there is evidence to show, the "Little Corporal" carried with him on his campaigns. The case is of gilded bronze, handsomely engraved. There are eight dials, indicating the true time, mean time, phases of the moon, seconds, minutes, hours, day, month and year. It strikes hours and quarters. Attached is a small metallic thermometer.

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Up on Chestnuts.

Agent—Madam, could I sell you this box of fairy tales? Mrs. Muchwood—No; I've been married four times, and fairy tales are a chestnut with me.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of automatons in applying liquids into the nasal passages for Catarrhal Troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the mucous membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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or Shropshire animal. At this ratio one bushel of corn worth 50 cents will increase the money value of a sheep to ten pounds, and fat mutton sells at about 12 cents a pound.

This is about twice as much gain of money value in sheep as in beef animals taken on with the same quantity of feed. This makes sheep raising about 20 per cent. more profitable than cattle. With such facts as these the farmers of the South should not only increase their flocks, but should secure rams of the most compact forms and finest wool and mutton strains.

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Pointed Paragraphs.

We all have our trials—and the lawyer is glad of it.

A jewel of a cook must be a sort of paste diamond.

Occasional silence would improve some people's conversation.

Many a woman has played a practical joke on a man by marrying him.

It's a poor variety of widow's weeds that won't bear orange blossoms.

Eternal vigilance isn't always the price of liberty—sometimes it's \$10 and costs.

If a woman has no servant she works overtime; if she has she worries overtime.

It's a pity we can't drop pennies into the slot machines and get small packages of joy.

Our idea of a good manager is a man who is able to manage a wife and an automobile simultaneously.

Though the good die young, occasionally a tough old hen shows up on the bill of fare as spring chicken.

A Frightened Horse

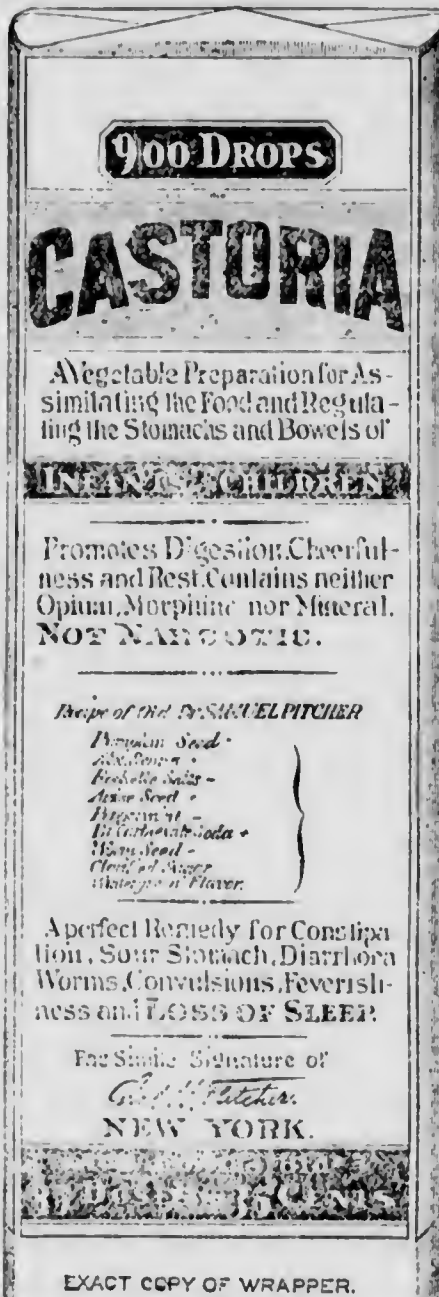
Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there is none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve, Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Piles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c, at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. drug store.

Free Mail Delivery.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow returned to the Postal Department a few days ago after several weeks' absence in the West and Southwest. Mr. Bristow made an observation trip over the rural delivery routes of Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Texas and other States for the purpose of becoming personally familiar with rural free delivery service. Before departing Mr. Bristow had considered plans for a reorganization of the service. It is known that he doubted the wisdom of maintaining such an extensive system. Since his trip, however, he has reached the important conclusion that the rural service cannot possibly be curtailed, and he will lay before the Postmaster General in a few days a complete plan for a vast extension of the system. Mr. Bristow told the Postmaster General that everywhere he went he found the people heartily in favor of rural delivery. The farmer, he said, was its strongest advocate, and so popular has the service become that it will be necessary to ask Congress to make a liberal appropriation for its extension. He pointed out particularly the great benefit of the service to the publishers of daily newspapers, explaining that it brought the newspapers to the farmer's door and kept him in close touch with the outside world.

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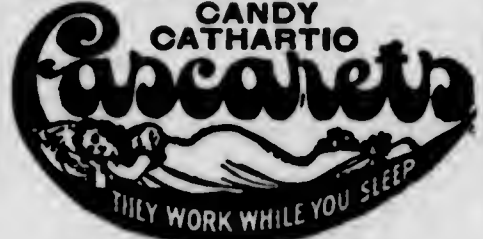
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Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of heart disease, not organic, are not only traceable to, but are the direct result of indigestion. All food taken into the stomach which fails of perfect digestion ferments and swells the stomach, puffing it up against the heart. This interferes with the action of the heart, and in the course of time that delicate but vital organ becomes diseased. Mr. D. Kauble, of Nevada, O., says: "I had stomach trouble and was in a bad state as I had heart trouble with it. I took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure for about four months and it cured me." Kodol Digests What You Eat and relieves the stomach of all nervous strain and the heart of all pressure. Bottles only. \$1.00 Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50c. Prepared by E. O. DeWITT & CO., CHICAGO.

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JUDGE PARKER still continues to stand pat on his silence.

MR. HEARST has made the highest bid ever offered for the Presidency.

It is true that Hearst is young and can wait, but his barrel may be empty four years hence.

THE Democratic campaign cry for the coming contest will be "turn the rascals out and the other fellows in."

FOUR years ago the Cleveland crowd said that Democracy could not win; Bryan is saying the same thing now.

THE peerless leader advises Democrats to die for their principles. There is no need of that no one will attempt to take the article from them.

WE hear it said that Mr. Hearst is about to be left without "a leg to stand on," but the most serious part of the matter will be when he is left without a leg to pull.

A PRESIDENT of the United States has more power than it is prudent to entrust to a man who is eloquent in his silence on the vital issues that confront the nation to-day.

A NEW YORK judge in an elaborate opinion held that street car conductors have no right to kick a passenger in the stomach. Does this mean that hereafter conductors must only kick them in the face?

IT will be noted that while the Democrats are even more hopelessly divided on questions of party policy than they are in the matter of candidates, there is no whisper of division either on policies or candidates among Republicans. In every State in the Union the Republicans stand pat on the tariff as they stand pat on Theodore Roosevelt.

AT the Democratic convention here last Saturday, a prominent Democrat, in the course of a great (?) speech said: "We (the Democrats) have kept the faith and fought an honest and decent fight in Kentucky." How true this statement is can be ascertained by a simple reference to the manner in which William S. Taylor was deposed as Governor of the State.

THOSE RESOLUTIONS.

THE resolutions adopted by the Democratic Convention which was pulled off at the court house here last Saturday, contains some of the most remarkable statements that we have ever seen embodied in any party's declaration of faith or principles which it proposes to ask an intelligent electorate to indorse. A few lines of the wonderful instrument and the part referring to the national Government we produce as follows:

Taxes are levied for no other purpose but to be distributed among favored contractors and those rendering party service to the Federal Administration. Extravagance and a reckless disregard of the rights of the taxpayers and the common people mark every page of recent Republican history. We demand a return to a simple Democratic government.

This is an indictment of every citizen who is in sympathy with the present administration, headed by President Roosevelt. You are accused of

lending your aid to the levying of taxes for the benefit of a select few. To the non-informed citizen, "extravagance and reckless disregard of the rights of the taxpayers," as the resolutions have it, may be a "corker." But did you know the Federal government collects not a cent of tax from you? All that you pay in the way of taxes is to the sheriff of your county for the benefit of the State and county.

The paragraph under consideration ends by a demand of a return to simple Democratic government, which we construe to mean such as we had under the administration of "Soup-House" Cleveland, for it was indeed very simple to the American working man then—principally straight soup dispensed at public houses.

CENTERTOWN.

June 8.—Miss Katie Waterson, Williams Mines, is visiting the family of Charlie Collins.

Mrs. Will Stewart and daughter, Annie, Evansville, are visiting relatives here.

Messrs. Will Sallee, C. L. Brown, John Gray and W. A. Rone have gone to Arkansas.

Mr. E. M. Morton left Tuesday for McLean county, where he will be married to Miss M. P. O'Flynn, Wednesday evening at 8 p. m., after which he and his bride will attend the World's Fair.

Mr. Warren Lindley, Point Pleasant, who has been ill at Dr. Tichenor's, is slowly improving.

Mr. B. E. Ross has a position in Morion's drug store.

Mr. B. Swain has opened a new black smith shop in the Warden property.

L. C. Brown is able to be out again after a short illness.

Miss Mary Sallee entertained her many friends last Sunday evening.

WHITESVILLE.

June 8.—Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Jackson, have moved to Mr. Edmund Litsey's property.

Misses Martha and Katie Kittlinger have returned home from Owensboro, where they have been attending college.

Mr. Jess Strothers has returned from Lexington college.

Miss Annie Hickey visited friends and relatives in Owensboro last week, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cook, McHenry, spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brock. They were accompanied home by Grace and Wilson Brooks, their sister and brother.

Miss Numa McCarty is visiting in Owensboro.

Miss Carrie McCarty and Mr. Myrtle Floyd spent Saturday and Sunday in Knottsville.

Louise McCarty went to Knottsville Sunday.

Rev. T. J. Ratcliff came down from Fordville this morning to attend the Holland-Lowe nuptials.

Messrs. Fabian Coomes and Tom Pirtle, Knottsville, were in town Sunday.

Born, to the wife of I. B. Ware, a girl.

Miss Florence Simmons, who has been visiting friends and relatives here, returned to her home at Rome Saturday.

Mr. Sam Neel is visiting in Louisville.

Miss Bessie Neel has accepted a position in Owensboro as book keeper.

Miss Sue Moseley has returned from Nashville, Tenn., where she held a position as book keeper.

Miss Ida Park, Hartford, is here to attend the Holland-Lowe nuptials.

Mr. James Lewis, West Louisville, is the guest of Mr. Miller Holland.

Miss Mabel Holland and Mr. James Lowe, Hartford, will be married Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the brides' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holland, three miles north of here. The attendants will be Miss Ida Park, Hartford, and Mr. Clarence Smith, Owensboro. The bridal couple will leave immediately for their future home, near Hartford, where they expect to welcome their friends to supper. Our best wishes go with them.

Mr. Jackson is having his house remodeled.

For Sale.

One lot with two story residence on West side of Main street, Beaver Dam, Ky. Garden, stable, cistern and well. All in good repair. For particulars address.

MRS. OMA B. HOCKER,
515 E. Sixth St.,
Bloomington, Ind.

See How Democratic Factions Entered the Convention.

State Auditor Samuel W. Hager, speaking for the administration, says: "Our fight is won just as certain as the convention is held. It is an absolute and iron-clad certainty that Gov. Beckham's friends will organize and control the convention. We are gaining votes now. I do not see upon what ground the opposition bases its claim unless it is to secure an opportunity to make some speeches. We will have over 900 votes in the convention."

County Court.

Orders of the Ohio County court entered at the regular June term, June 6th, 1904.

M. W. Bell and others motion for new road—commissioner to open ruled to report.

Harlen Tichenor, et al. motion for change in road—dismissed at cost of applicants.

Commonwealth vs. Dennis Tichenor—alias and continued.

W. A. Clark et al. petition for public drain—continued.

B. W. Rial et al. petition for public drain—continued.

U. S. Condit et al. motion for new road—ordered established. W. A. Higgs appointed to open.

Gilbert Taylor et al. motion for local option election at Millenry—petition dismissed.

E. P. Neal committee for F. M. Daugherty, report of settlement—continued for exceptions.

S. A. Anderson, guardian for Blanch Brown and others—settlement ordered to record.

G. W. Hunter, administrator of Alvin Hunter, deceased—settlement ordered to record.

C. P. Brown, executor of A. G. Brown, deceased—settlement ordered to record.

G. D. Royal, administrator of T. D. Royal, deceased—appraisal ordered to record.

M. A. Chapman, administrator of W. L. Chapman—appraisal ordered to record.

J. D. Maddox, guardian of Annie L. Maddox—settlement continued for exceptions.

C. H. Greer, guardian of Zach Greer and others—settlement continued for exceptions.

Thomas Greer, guardian for Lonnie Greer—settlement continued for exceptions.

A. K. Miller, administrator of E. P. Neal, deceased—appraisal continued for exceptions.

Rachel F. Wallace, administrator of C. J. Wallace—appraisements continued for exceptions.

J. H. Thomas, administrator of W. D. Barnes, deceased—continued for exceptions.

B. F. Tichenor, administrator of W. B. Tichenor—appraisal continued for exceptions.

Shelby Rock, guardian of Dona and Lucy Rock—report continued for exceptions.

The last will of Dr. J. W. Meador was probated and ordered to record.

Lydice F. Westerfield was qualified as administrator of Cicero Westerfield, deceased.

A new voting precinct was formed by dividing the precinct of Knottsville. The new precinct to be known as Herbert.

Beaver Dam's New Enterprise.

Mr. A. C. Taylor, Hartford's bustling liveryman and undertaker, has opened up at Beaver Dam, a complete stock of Coffins and Caskets, including a general selection, from the cheapest to the finest, and every thing necessary in a first-class undertaking establishment. Calls will be answered promptly at any hour of the day or night. A fine hearse and team stands ready for service at any time. Embalming will be made a specialty. Those desiring anything in his line from his Beaver Dam department, will please call on or address A. C. Taylor, Undertaker and Embalmer, Beaver Dam, Ky.

Strides in Telephony.

The recent tariff arrangement between the large Independent Long Distance Telephone Companies of the country with the best possibly constructed copper metallic circuit extending from Philadelphia to St. Louis connecting all intermediate local exchanges will be of vast importance to the telephone users of the whole country and calls to mind the fact that twenty-eight years ago the first telephone was used and upon which the

Senator Blackburn speaking for the anti-administration forces, says: "It can be announced positively that we shall never give up this fight. I would spit in the face of any man who would intimate or suggest to me to quit. It will be a fight on every proposition that comes before that convention. I have never quit, and by the eternals I will not do so now. We will win and the world may know now and forever that in this engagement either I or the opposition will be buried."

All Humors

Are impure matters which the skin, liver, kidneys and other organs can not take care of without help, there is such an accumulation of them.

They litter the whole system.

Pimples, boils, eczema and other eruptions, loss of appetite, that tired feeling, bilious turns, fits of indigestion, dull headaches and many other troubles are due to them.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Remove all humors, overcome all their effects, strengthen, tone and invigorate the whole system.

"I had said them on my hands so that I could not work. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it drove out the humor. I continued its use till the sores disappeared." Mrs. IKA O. BROWN, Rumford Falls, Me.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

Bell Telephone Company, of Boston, had a complete monopoly for twenty years, when these patents expired since which time the independents have proved and popularized it and its use until now there are more independent phones in use than the Bells. The latter's attitude towards competition as shown by the courts' decisions in the Evansville and Tennessee suits, have had no little to do with the results, and we predict that within a few years nearly every home in the whole country will have a telephone.

Life.

The poet's exclamation: "O Life! I feel thee bounding in my veins," is a joyous one. Persons that can rarely or never make it, in honesty to themselves, are among the most unfortunate. They do not live, but exist; for to live implies more than to be. To live is to be well and strong—to arise feeling equal to the ordinary duties of the day, and to retire not overcome by them—to feel life bounding in the veins. A medicine that has made thousands of people, men and women, well and strong, has accomplished a great work, bestowing the richest blessings, and that medicine is Hood's Sarsaparilla. The weak, run-down, or debilitated, from any cause, should not fail to take it. It builds up the whole system, changes existence into life, and makes life more abounding. We are glad to say these words in its favor to the readers of our columns.

His Western Tour.

Mr. Everett Ellis returned to his home near Beda last Saturday after an absence of five months, during which time he has traveled in round numbers eight thousand miles. During this extended trip he visited Denver, Ogden, Salt Lake City, Portland, Astoria, Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Francisco and various other western cities. Among the many things of interest he enjoyed, none was more fascinating than the voyage down the Columbia river, rich in the varied and gorgeous splendor of its scenic beauty. Passing out of the river he voyaged on the placid bosom of the mighty ocean that bathes the land of eternal summer far away towards the sunset. He returns to take up his work as teacher in the public schools, refreshed and invigorated in mind and body, and embellished and enriched by that kind of knowledge which comes to those only who extend their zone of observation beyond the scenes of childhood.

Louisville Stock Market.

Quotations from yesterday's sales. Cattle—best quality, \$5.00 to \$5.25. Hogs—best quality, \$4.85. Choice light shippers, \$4.60. Sheep and Lambs—Extra shipping sheep, \$4.00 to \$4.40. Extra spring lambs, \$6.00 to \$7.00.

The Talk of The County.

Stylish Headwear.



The constant arrivals of new things in Millinery, gives to each customer an unbroken stock from which to select. Our stock is large, our prices right, and our knowledge of this department, together with our unsurpassed ability to please, places us in better position to serve you than anywhere else you can go.

Ladies' Oxfords.

We are certainly showing the most complete line of ladies' Low-Cuts, embracing style, quality and price, to be seen anywhere. Our line is very complete, and if you see us you are sure to get a satisfactory selection.

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings.

In this line we feel we are in position to satisfactorily serve our customers, always giving them the newest things to be found. See our line of Shirts, Ladies' and Gents' Collars, Ties, Belts, and anything you may need in the line. If it comes from our store it is the correct thing.

Overalls.

The famous Carhartt brand needs no recommendation to those who have worn them. Buy this line of us when in need of Overalls, Work Jackets, Shirts, or Caps, and receive satisfaction. A full line always in stock—guaranteed to wear.



We are determined to make this the most popular trading center. Our increased popularity and growing sales give us the encouragement, we possess the energy, have the stock of goods which command it, so bring us anything you may have to sell and receive its value in something you need, remembering three things in which we, without question, already surpass: Clothing, Millinery and Dress Goods.

S. J. TICHENOR, McHenry.

We Are The People

You want to See when you are buying Pants, Shoes, Slippers, Shirts, Collars, Suspenders, Ties, Hats, Underwear, Corsets, Dry Goods and Notions, Groceries, Hardware, STOVES, HARNESS and SADDLERY, etc.

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Barnes' Shoes

For men are everything that style, quality and price can make them. They are here in all the new spring lasts, in the lace, blucher, low-cuts, make of kangaroo calf, box calf, velour calf, vic kangaroo and patent leather.

Our \$1.50 Line.

This line consists of shoes made up with plain toes and all the new narrow toes, and show as much style in shape as other lines at more money. Made of Kangaroo Calf, Casco Calf and Vic Kid.

Our \$2.00 and 2.50 Line.

At these two prices we can give you the lace or blucher shape, plain, or any shape in the narrow toes, made in all the leathers except the patent, also in low-cuts.

Our \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 Lines.

All the beauty of style and finish that the most experienced designer can conceive is embodied in these shoes. They are made from the very best leathers the manufacturers can procure. You can buy them in low-cuts, plain toes, and all the new narrow lasts. Made of Vic, Kangaroo, Velour, Patent Leather and Box Calf.

Boys Wear Shoes.

Remembering that all men were once boys and that men must still come from the same source, we are well equipped to satisfy the most particular boy. Our Boys' Shoes are sized from 8 to 11, 12 to 2s, and 3 to 5 1/2. Made of Casco calf, Box Calf, Vic and Patent leather and are priced at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25.

Summer Coats, Vests and Pants.

Men's Straw Hats and Summer Millinery.

Ladies', Men's and Boys Underwear.

Fans, Belts, Collars and Umbrellas.

Hose, Half-Hose, Handkerchiefs and Neckwear.

Gloves, Hairpins, Puff-Combs, Hair Ornament.

Beaver Dam, Ky.

Ladies' Nursing Vests at Fairs.

The New White Kid Belts are at Fairs.

Nazareth Waists for Children at Fairs.

Fairs' Sheer Organdies at 10c are the kind you are paying 15c for.

L. M. Sanderlin, Horton, made us a pleasant call yesterday.

Miss Nell Austin, Beaver Dam, is visiting in Hartford this week.

Attorney E. M. Woodward went to Calhoun Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mrs. A. F. Stanley returned Wednesday from an extended visit at Lexington.

Largest assortment embroiders. THE BROWN MERCANTILE CO., Renter, Ky.

One hundred dollars to be given away in Crystal Press-cut Glassware. Call for coupons. ECONOMY STORE.

Mrs. Carrie Williams, Crowley, La., arrived yesterday to be the guest of relatives here.

Leave your Laundry at Cleve Her's grocery. Work guaranteed. Prompt delivery. 46th

We buy Ginseng and herbs. THE BROWN MERCANTILE CO., Renter, Ky.

Master Roy Heavrin left yesterday for a three weeks visit at Owensboro and Henderson.

If you are going to the World's Fair, you will need a Trunk, Suit Case or Telescope. Fairs have the best line.

When in need of a new Suit of Clothes, don't fail to see our line. You will find the nicest style. ECONOMY STORE.

Mr. Taylor Bartley left Sunday for Penville, Ind., to work. He will stay with his uncle, Mr. J. P. Leamon, while there.

Messrs. W. S. Tinsley and S. A. Anderson, city, attended the K. of P. Lodge at Leitchfield Wednesday night.

Mr. Gilbert Dodson has gone to St. Louis. His wife expects to join him in a few days, when they will attend the World's Fair.

Up-to-date slippers, women's, and children's. All Style. THE BROWN MERCANTILE CO., Renter, Ky.

In order that we may not carry over any straw hats for men or boys, we have reduced the prices on all straw goods 25 per cent. CARSON & CO.

We will deliver ice from 5 to 7 o'clock in the morning—can be had at shop all hours during the day. Your patronage solicited. MOORE & CRABTREE.

Dr. Wayland Alexander, Owensboro, was in town Wednesday. We understand that there will be an effort made to employ him to take charge of Hartford College the ensuing term.

Marshal W. M. Bryant, of Horse Branch, arrived yesterday morning with Levi Allen, who he arrested on a charge of wife beating. Failing to give bond, Allen was committed to the care of Jailor Black for safe keeping.

When in need of Footwear, whether Hosiery, Tan Shoes, Black Shoes or Slippers, for young and old, call on us. The best line for the lowest prices will be found at the Economy Store.

Mrs. SARAH COLLINS SMITH. Editor Heber Matthews and family, C. E. Smith and wife, will leave Sunday, W. S. Tinsley and wife, Rowan Hoolbrook and family will leave Monday for St. Louis to be present at Kentucky Day at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, which is June 15.

Marriage license issued since our last report: Estill F. Brown, Central City, to Etta F. Stroud, Central City; Homer Milligan, Herbert, to Melville Stewart, Herbert; Thomas C. Martin, Horton, to Donna Rock, Beaver Dam; Frank Burden, Binock, to Lillie F. Daugherty, Palzetown.

We have just selected from our Clothing stock a great big assortment of odd pants, ranging in price from \$1 to \$3 per pair. We have placed them on our counters in two lots—\$1.00 to \$1.50 for choice. This is your chance to get a nice pair of pants for a small sum of money. Every man in the county should take advantage of this offer. CARSON & CO.

New line Colored Silk Umbrellas at Fairs.

McCall Bazar Patterns at Fairs—10c, 15c. None higher.

Supt. J. M. DeWeese will leave today to visit his mother, near Shreve. He will return Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Fogle is attending the Woman's Foreign Mission Society which is in session at Hopkinsville.

A complete line of Hamilton Brown ladies' and gents' Slippers just received. SAM BACH.

The following young people spent quite a pleasant day at Aldrie Hills the home of Gen. Buel, in Muhlenberg county last Sunday: Misses Birdie and Flossie Woodward, Hartford; Mr. Arthur Baker, Mr. Paul Woodward and wife, Beaver Dam; Miss Mella Southard, Prentiss, and Miss Maude Renter, McHenry.

A recent issue of the Owensboro Messenger contains a report of an anti-lawless meeting held at Livermore. The article among other things contains the following paragraph: "It is thought that the citizen of Livermore will bring suit against Ohio county for five or ten thousand dollars for allowing blind tigers and gambling places to be carried on just across Rough river from the town, on the place called 'the Point.'"

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

Curt Jett, the notorious Breathitt county murderer, began his life sentence in the penitentiary at Frankfort Wednesday. He was put to work in the chair factory.

A call has been issued for a meeting of the anti-Parker Democrats in New York City on June 18, to send a delegation to St. Louis to protest against the nomination of Judge Parker for President.

The Beckham machine dominated the Louisville convention Wednesday. Everything went the way of the machine. The convention failed to instruct for any one for President. The committee on Resolutions voted down a motion to report a resolution instructing for Parker.

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Cure, Prompt, Positive
of Impotence, Loss of Manhood, Seminal Emissions, Spermatorrhea, Nervousness, Self Distrust, Loss of Memory, etc. Will make you a STRONG, Vigorous Man. Price \$1.00, 3 BOTTLES, \$3.00. Special Directions Mailed with each Box. Address: BARNES & CO., 8010 LUGAN AVE., ST. LOUIS, MO.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

June Offerings

We are prepared to show you the prettiest line of sheer Wash Goods, Dainty Laces, Embroideries, White Goods, Belts, Ladies' Collars, etc., that it has ever been our privilege to show through June. The hot weather has just begun. You will need these goods, and our low prices will make you buy them.

Plain sheer India Linons, 6c to 20c; Fine Mercerized Figured White Goods, 20c to 25c, Fancy Figured Organdies, 10c; Figured Satin Stripe Lawns, 15c; Fancy Cotton Voiles, 25c; White Corded Piques, 20c. We can match any of the above with Laces, etc., too many to mention. No line in Hartford to compare with ours. Come to see them.

Belts, Fans, Collars, Parasols, Etc.

No ladies' outfit is complete without a neat Belt, pretty Fan, Parasol or stylish Neckwear. We are beyond a doubt headquarters for these goods. Our Fans are marvels of beauty and low in price. Belts are the latest patent leather, white Kid, Black Silk Belts and Girdles, all with pretty buckles. Our stock of Collars comprises the latest—all styles and prices, from 25c to \$1.00. Colored Silk Umbrellas from \$2.00 to \$3.50. To rightly appreciate these goods you must visit us and see them.

Millinery Specials.

The season is now far advanced, and in accordance with our custom we have inaugurated a CLEARANCE SALE. Former prices are not considered. They must move and move at once, so if you are looking for new millinery at a low price, don't fail to see us. Our Ribbon stock is in this department. We have no "Special Sales," but our everyday prices are just a shade lower than special sale prices. All shades, all widths, and low prices at ALL TIMES.

Our stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Ladies' Slippers and Shoes is in fine condition. We solicit your June shopping, and shall endeavor to merit it by giving you the latest goods at lowest prices.

THE GREAT Bargain Givers

SAM BACH & CO.
THE FAIR DEALERS

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10.

Illinois Central Railroad--Time Table.

North Bound.
No. 132 due 6:36 a. m.
No. 102 due 4:07 p. m.
No. 122 due 12:30 p. m.

South Bound.
No. 121 due 11:31 a. m.
No. 101 due 7:45 p. m.
No. 131 due 9:00 p. m.

Hot Fish at City Restaurant.

J. Wilson, Rosine, called at THE REPUBLICAN office Wednesday.

See that new line of Candles at City Restaurant. "Out of sight."

W. R. Carson, Bada, called to see us Saturday.

For fresh Crackers, go to City Restaurant.

R. J. Mason, Buford, made us a pleasant call Friday.

Get your Meals at the City Restaurant. Everything first-class.

Latest styles in Low Cut Shoes at SAM BACH'S.

Drop in at City Restaurant. Every thing first class.

If you don't think I am selling out at reduced prices, just come and see. R. T. ILER, Hartford, Ky.

Col. Abb Pryor, Louisville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben D. Ringo the first of the week.

Ice Cream at Griffin's drug store at any time. All kinds of cooling drinks a specialty. Your patronage appreciated.

Drs. Yewell & King, Osteopaths, rear rooms, J. A. Thomas corner, up stairs, Hartford, Ky. Consultation and examination free.

Capt. W. H. Moore, who was injured by a large block of ice falling on his feet at the cold storage last week, is improving.

City Restaurant wants your trade. We strive to please.

Prof. I. S. Mason, Fordsville, called to see us Wednesday.

Nicest lines of Fruits Candies Cakes &c. in Hartford at City Restaurant.

Jesse Smith, Ceralvo, visited in town this week.

Gents furnishing goods a specialty at ECONOMY STORE.

Spurgeon Foster, Horse Branch, made us a pleasant call Saturday.

We will sell Calicoes through June at 5c. CARSON & CO.

Nat Lindley, Point Pleasant, was in town Monday.

Get your Meals and Lunches during court at City Restaurant. Every thing good to eat.

Don't overlook our offer on Calicoes through June. CARSON & CO.

Rev. C. R. Crowe, of Sebree, Ky., visited his parents, Rev. E. M. Crowe and wife, last week.

We have a nice lot of thin goods at thin prices for hot weather buyers. CARSON & CO.

Mrs. M. J. Ried and daughter, Margaret, Rockport, are visiting relatives in Hartford.

Special Ribbon sale from now until July. All ready-to-wear Hats reduced to half prices. ECONOMY STORE.

Ice Cream Soda and all kinds of cool drinks at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Leisure, Bada, made us a pleasant call while in town Tuesday.

See our new World's Fair Sailors. They are beauties and the newest thing out.

MRS. SARAH COLLINS SMITH.

Just from the Eastern Markets,

Where we have purchased a big lot of new goods, such as Clothing, Hats, Dress Goods, Shoes, and in fact everything needed to dress you up in the latest style.

Our Clothing.

The famous "STERLING" brand cannot be excelled for neatness, beauty or durability. Remember we guarantee every Sterling Suit we sell. Prices of these goods range from \$6 to \$22.50.

Our Line of Shoes.

The celebrated Hamilton Brown will give you better satisfaction in point of neatness and comfort than any Shoe on the market. Every pair guaranteed. Prices from \$1.25 to \$5.

We will quote you the following unequaled low prices which will give you an idea of the great bargains you can secure from us. Good Heavy Domestic, 6c; Calico, 5c; good heavy Hickory Shirting, 7c; extra heavy Bedticking, 15c per yard. Ladies' Hose, 5c a pair; Children's Hose, 5c a pair; Men's Sock's, 5c a pair; Three pair Suspenders, 25c. Ten Men's black Clay Worsted Suits going at \$2.45, better grade \$3.00—size 35 to 42. Youth's Suits at \$2.35; children's at 65c. Our limited space will not permit us to quote additional prices but come to see us and we will show you the most up-to-date line of goods and for less money than any other house in Ohio county. Come to see us and we will do the rest.



Yours for Business,

SAM BACH, Hartford.

KATE BONNET

THE ROMANCE OF A PIRATE'S DAUGHTER



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CHAPTER XXIII

DICKORY STRETCHES HIS LEGS

HERE were jolly times on board the swift ship *Revenge* as she sped through the straits of Florida on her way up the Atlantic coast. The skies were bright, the wind was fair, and the warm waters of the gulf stream helped to carry her bravely on her way. But young Dickory Charter as so little, tossed about so much in his berth, turned so pale and spoke so seldom, that the bold Capt. Blackbeard declared that he should have some medicine.

"I shall not let my fine lieutenant suffer for want of drugs," he cried. "And when I reach Charles Town I shall send ashore a boat and procure some; and if the citizens disturb or interfere with my brave fellows, I'll bombard the town. There will be medicine to take on one side or the other, I swear." And loud and ready were the cat's he swore.

A pirate who carries with him an intended son-in-law is not likely, if he be of Blackbeard's turn of mind, to suffer all his family plans to be ruined for the want of a few drugs.

An island with palm trees slowly rose on the horizon, and off this island it was that, after a good deal of tacking and close-hauling, the *Revenge* lay to take in water, far better water than that which had been brought from Belize.

"Do you want to go ashore in the boat, boy?" said Blackbeard, really mindful of the health of this projected member of his family. "It may help your appetite to use your legs."

Dickory did not care to go anywhere, but he had hardly said so when a revulsion of feeling came upon him, and turning away so that his face might not be noticed, he said he thought the land air might do him good. While the men were at work carrying their pails from the well-known spring to the water barrels in the boat, Dickory strolled about to view the scenery, for it could never have been expected that a first lieutenant in uniform should help to carry water. At first the scenery did not appear to be very interesting, and Dickory wandered slowly from here to there, then sat down under a tree. Presently he rose and went to another tree, a little farther away from the boat and the men at the spring. Here he quietly took off his shoes and his stockings, and, having nothing else to do, made a little bundle of them. Listlessly tying them to his belt, then he rose and walked away somewhat briskly, but not in the direction of the boat. He did not hurry, but even stopped sometimes to look at things, but he still walked a little briskly, and always away from the boat. He had been so used, this child of outdoor life, to going about the world barefooted, that it was no wonder that he walked briskly, being relieved of his encumbering shoes and stockings.

After a time he heard a shout behind him, and turning saw three men of the boat's crew upon a little eminence calling to him. Then he moved more quickly, always away from the boat, and with his head turned he saw the men running towards him, and their shouts became louder and wilder. Then he set off on a good run, and presently heard a pistol shot. This he knew was to frighten him and make him stop, but he ran faster and soon turned the corner of a bit of woods. Then he was away at the top of his speed, making for a jungle of foliage not a quarter of a mile before him. Shouts he heard, and more shots, but he caught sight of no pursuers. Urged on even as they were by the fear of returning to the ship without Dickory, they could not

bounder. After a time Dickory stopped running, for his path, always straight away, so far as he could judge, from the landing-place, became very difficult. In the forest there were streams, sometimes narrow and sometimes wide, and how deep he knew not, so that now he jumped, now he walked on fallen trees.

CHAPTER XXIV

A GIRL WHO LAUGHED

DICKORY HAD ESCAPED FROM THE PIRATES AT THE SPRING THAT HE FOUND HIMSELF ON A PIECE OF HIGH GROUND IN AN OPEN PLACE IN THE FOREST, AND HERE HE DETERMINED TO SPEND THE NIGHT. WITH HIS DIRT HE CUT A QUANTITY OF PALMETTO LEAVES AND MADE HIMSELF A VERY COMFORTABLE BED, ON WHICH HE WAS SOON ASLEEP, FEARING NO PIRATES.

In the morning he rose early from his green couch, ate the few biscuits which were left in his pockets, and, putting on his shoes and stockings, started forth upon what might have been supposed to be an aimless tramp. But it was not aimless. Dickory had a most wholesome dread of that indomitable apostle of cruelty and wickedness, the pirate Blackbeard. He believed that it would be quite possible for that savage being to tie up his beard in tails, to blacken his face with powder, to hang more pistols from his belt and around his neck, and swear that the *Revenge* should never leave her anchorage until her first lieutenant had been captured and brought back to her. So he had an aim, and that was to get away as far as possible from the spot where he had landed on the island.

With his shoes on he traveled more easily, although not so swiftly, and after an hour of very rough walking he heard a sound which made him stop instantly and listen. At first he thought it might be the wind in the trees, but soon his practiced ear told him that it was the sound of the surf upon the beach. Without the slightest hesitation, he made his way as quickly as possible towards the sound of the sea.

In less than half an hour he found himself upon a stretch of sand which extended from the forest to the sea, and upon which the waves were throwing themselves in long, crested lines. With a cry of joy he ran out upon the beach, and with outstretched arms he welcomed the sea as if it had been an old and well-tried friend.

But Dickory thought of no enemy. He pressed on along the beach. The walking was so much better now that he made good progress, and the sun had not reached its zenith when he found himself on the shore of a small stream which came down from some higher land in the interior and here poured itself into the sea. He walked some distance by this stream, in order to get some water which might be free from brackishness, and then, with very little trouble, he crossed it. Before him was a knoll of moderate height, and covered with foliage. Mounting this, he found that he had an extended view over the interior of the island. In the background there stretched a wide savanna, and at the distance of about half a mile he saw, very near a little cluster of trees, a thin column of smoke. His eyes rounded and he stared and stared. He now perceived, from behind the leaves, the end of a thatched roof.

"People!" Dickory exclaimed, and his heart beat fast with joy. Why his heart should be joyful he could not have told himself except that there was no earthly reason to believe that the persons who were making that fire near that thatched-roof house were pirates. To go to this house, whatever it might be, to take his chances there instead of remaining alone in the wide forest, was our young man's instant determination.

After a brisk walk, which was somewhat longer than he had supposed it would be, Dickory reached the house behind the trees. At a short distance burned the fire whose smoke he had seen. Over the fire hung an iron pot. Oh, blessed pot! A gentle breeze blew from the fire towards Dickory, and from the heavenly odor which was borne upon it he knew that something good to eat was cooking in that pot. A man came quickly from behind the house. He was tall, with a beard a little gray, and his scanty attire was of the most nondescript fashion. With amazement upon his face, he spoke to Dickory in English.

"What, sir," he cried, "has a man-of-war touched this island?" Dickory could not help smiling, for the man's countenance told him how he had been utterly astounded, and even stupefied, by the sight of a gentleman in naval uniform in the interior of that island, an almost desert region. "No man-of-war has touched here," said Dickory, "and I don't belong to one. I wear these clothes because I

am compelled to do so, having no others. Yesterday afternoon I escaped from some pirates who stopped for water, and since leaving them I have made my way to this spot."

The man stepped forth quickly and stretched out his hand. "Bless you! Bless you!" he cried. "You are the first human being, other than my family, that I have seen for two years."

A little girl now came from behind the house, and when her eyes fell upon Dickory and his cocked hat she screamed with terror and ran indoors. A woman appeared at the door, evidently the man's wife. She had a pleasant face, but her clothes riveted Dickory's attention. It would be impossible to describe them even if one were gazing upon them. It will be enough to say they covered her. Her amazement more than equaled that of her husband; she stood and stared, but could not speak.

"From the spring at the end of the island," cried the man, "to this house since yesterday afternoon! I have always supposed that no one could get here from the spring by land. I call that way impassable. You are safe here, sir, I am sure. Pirates would not follow very far through those forests and morasses; they would be afraid they would never get back to their ship. But I will find out for certain if you have reason, sir, to fear pursuit by boat or otherwise."

"The man was now called away, and when he returned he said to Dickory: 'Fear nothing, sir; your ship is no longer at the anchorage by the spring. She has sailed away, wisely concluding, I suppose, that pursuit of you would be folly, and even madness.'"

During the meal Dickory briefly told his story, continuing it to a mere statement of his escape from the pirates. "Blackbeard!" exclaimed the man. "Truly you did well to get away from him, no matter into what forests you plunged or upon what desert island you lost yourself. At any moment he might have turned upon you and cut you to pieces to amuse himself. I have heard the most horrible stories of Blackbeard."

"He treated me very well," said Dickory, "but I know from his own words that he reserved me for a most horrible fate."

"What!" exclaimed the man, "and he told you? He is indeed a demon!" "Yes," said Dickory, "he said over and over again that he was going to take me to England to marry me to his daughter."

At this the wife could not refrain from a smile. "Matrimony is not generally considered a horrible fate," said she; "perhaps his daughter may be a most comely and estimable young person. Girls do not always resemble their fathers."

"Now tell me your story, I pray you," said Dickory. "But first, I would like very much to know how you found out that Blackbeard's ship was not at her anchorage?"

"That's a simple thing," said the man. "Of course you did not observe, for you could not, that from its eastern point where lies the spring, this island stretches in a long curve to the south, reaching northward again about this spot. Consequently, there is a little bay to the east of us, across which we can see the anchoring ground of such ships as may stop here for water. Your way around the land curve of the island was a long one, but the distance straight across the bay is but a few miles. Upon a hill not far from here there is a very tall tree, which overtops all the other trees, and to the upper branches of this tree my daughter, who is a great climber, frequently ascends with a small glass, and is thus able to report if there is a vessel at the anchorage."

"What!" exclaimed Dickory, "that little girl?" "Oh, no!" said the man; "it is my other daughter, who is a grown young woman."

"She is not here now," said the mother. And this piece of unnecessary information was given in tones which might indicate that the young lady had stepped around to visit a neighbor. "It is important," said the man, "that I should know if vessels have anchored here, for if they be merchantmen I sometimes do business with them."

"Business!" said Dickory. "That sounds extremely odd. Pray tell me how you came to be here."

"My name is Mander," said the other. "And about two years ago I was on my way from England to Barbadoes, where, with my wife and two girls, I expected to settle. We were captured by a pirate ship and marooned upon this island. I will say, to the pirate captain's credit, that he was a good sort of man considering his profession. He sailed across the bay on purpose to find a suitable place to land us, and he left with us some necessary articles, such as axes and tools, some kitchen utensils, and a gun with some ammunition. Then he sailed away, leaving us here, and here we have since lived. Under the circumstances, we have no right to complain, for had we been taken by an ordinary pirate it is likely that our bones would now be lying at the bottom of the ocean."

"Here I have worked hard and have made myself a home, such as it is. There are wild cattle upon the distant savannas, and I trap game and birds, cultivate the soil to a certain extent, and if we had clothes I might say we would be in better circumstances than many a respectable family in England. Sometimes when a merchantman anchors here and I have hides or anything else which we can barter for things we need, I row over the bay in a canoe which I have made, and have thus very much bettered our condition. But in no case have I been able

to provide my family with suitable clothes."

"Why did you not get some of these merchant ships to carry you away?" asked Dickory.

The man shook his head. "There is no place," he said sadly, "to which I can in reason ask a ship to carry me and my family. We have no money, no property whatever. In any other place I would be far poorer than I am here. My children are not uneducated; my wife and I have done our best for them in that respect, and we have some books with us. So, as you see, it would be rash in me to leave a home which, rude as it is, shelters and supports my family, to go as paupers and strangers to some other land."

The wife heaved a sigh. "But poor Lucilla!" she said. "It is dreadful that she should be forced to grow up here."

"Lucilla?" asked Dickory.

"Yes, sir," she said, "my eldest daughter. But she is not here now."

Dickory thought that it was somewhat odd that he should be again informed of a fact which he knew very well, but he made no remarks upon the subject. Still wearing his cocked hat—for he had nothing else with which to shield his head from the sun—and with his uniform coat on, for he had not yet an opportunity of ripping from it the letter he carried, and this he would not part from—Dickory roamed about the little settlement. Mander was an industrious and thrifty man. His garden, his buildings, and his surroundings showed that.

Walking past a clump of low bushes, Dickory was startled by a laugh—a hearty laugh—the laugh of a girl. Looking quickly around, he saw, peering above the tops of the bushes, the face of the girl who had laughed.

"It is too funny!" she said, as his eyes fell upon her. "I never saw anything so funny in all my life. A man in regimentals in this weather and upon a desert island. You look as if you



LOOKING QUICKLY AROUND HE SAW, PEERING ABOVE THE TOPS OF THE BUSHES, THE FACE OF THE GIRL WHO HAD LAUGHED.

had marched farther than your army, and that you had lost it in the forest." Dickory smiled. "You ought not to laugh at me," he said, "for these clothes are really a great misfortune. If I could change them for something cool I should be more than delighted."

"Instead of that awful hat I can make you one of long grass. Do you see the one I have on? Isn't that a good hat? I have one nearly finished which I am making for my father; you may have that."

He accepted instantly the offer of the hat. "You seem to know all about me," he said; "did you hear me tell my story?"

"Every word of it," said she, "and it is the queerest story I ever heard. Think of a pirate carrying a man away to marry him to his daughter!"

"But why don't you come from behind that bush and talk to me?" "I can't do it," said she, "I am dressed funnier than you are. Now I am going to make your hat. And in an instant she had departed.

Dickory now strolled on, and when he returned he seated himself in the shade near the house. His heavy coat and waistcoat lay upon the ground beside him, with the cocked hat placed upon them. As he leaned back against the tree and inhaled the fragrant breeze which came to him from the forest, Dickory was a more cheerful young man than he had been for many, many days. He thought of this himself, and wondered how a man, carrying with him his sentence of a life-long misery, could lean against a tree and take pleasure in anything, be it a hospitable welcome, a sense of freedom from danger, a fragrant breeze, or the face of a pretty girl behind a bush. But these things did please him; he could not help it. And when presently came Mrs. Mander, bringing a basket of grass hat fresh from the manufacturer's hands, he took it and put it on with more evident pleasure than the occasion seemed to demand.

"Your daughter is truly an artist," said Dickory. "She does many things well," said the mother, "because necessity compels her and all of us to learn to work in various ways."

A little later Mander joined Dickory. "I am sorry, sir," said he, "that I am not able to present you to my daughter Lucilla. It is a great grief to us that her attire compels her to deny herself other company than that of her family. I really believe, sir, that it is Lucilla's deprivations on this island which form at present my principal discomfort with my situation. But we all enjoy good health, so have enough to eat, and shelter over us, and should not complain."

As soon as he was at liberty to do so, Dickory walked by the hedge of low bushes, and there, above it, was the bright face, with the pretty grass hat.

"I was waiting for you," said she. "I wanted to see how that hat fitted, and I think it does nicely. And I wanted to tell you that I have been looking out for ships, but have not seen one. I don't mean by that that I want you to go away almost as soon as you have come, but of course, if a merchant ship should anchor here, it would be dreadful for you not to know."

"I am not sure," said Dickory gallantly, "that I am in a hurry for a ship. It is truly very pleasant here."

"What makes it pleasant?" said the girl. Dickory hesitated for a moment. "The breeze from the forest," said he. "It is charming," she said, "but there are so many places where there is just as good a breeze, or perhaps better. How I would like to go to some one of them! To me this island is lonely and doleful. Every time I look over the sea for a ship I hope that one will come that can carry us away."

"Then," said Dickory, "I wish a ship would come to-morrow and take us all away together."

She shook her head. "As my father told you," said she, "we have no place to go to."

CHAPTER XXV

LUCILLA'S SUE

AS SOON AS DICKORY HAD LEFT OFF HIS COCKED HAT AND HIS GOLD-EMBROIDERED COAT, THE LITTLE GIRL LENA, WHO HAD BEEN SO AFRAID OF HIM, AND THE NEXT MORNING SHE CAME TO HIM, SEATED LOVELY—FOR THIS WAS A BUSY HOUSEHOLD—AND ASKED HIM IF HE WOULD LIKE TO TAKE A WALK.

It was about the middle of the afternoon, and Lena had dropped asleep beneath the tree where Dickory and her parents were conversing, when suddenly there rushed upon the little group a most surprising figure. At the first flash of thought Dickory supposed that a boy from the shore had dropped among them, but in an instant he recognized the face he had seen above the bushes. It was Lucilla, the daughter of the house! Upon her head was a little straw hat, and she wore a loose tunic and a pair of sailor's trousers, which had been cut off and were short enough to show that her feet and ankles were bare. Around her waist she had a belt of skins, from which dangled a string of crimson sea-beans. Her eyes were wide open, her face was pale, and she was trembling with excitement.

"What do you think!" she cried, not caring who was there or who might look at her. "There's a ship at the spring, and there's a boat towing across the bay. A boat with four men in it!"

All started to their feet. "A boat," cried Mander, "with four men in it? Run, my dear, to the cave, press into its depths as far as you can. There is nothing there to be afraid of, and no matter how frightened you are, press into its most distant depths. You, sir, will remain with me, or would you rather escape? If it is a pirate ship, it may be Blackbeard who has returned."

"Not so," cried Lucilla. "It is a merchant vessel, and they are making straight for the mouth of our stream."

"I will stay here with you," said Dickory. "And stand by you, unless I may help your family seek the cave you speak of."

"No, no," said Mander, "they don't need you, and if you will do so we will go down to the beach and meet these men; that will be better than to have them search for us. They will know that people live here, for my canoe is drawn up on the beach."

"Is this safe?" cried Dickory; "would it not be better for you to go with your family and hide with them? I will meet the men in the boat."

"No, no," said Mander; "if their vessel is no pirate, I do not fear them. But I will not have them here."

Now, after Mander had embraced his family, they hurried away in tears, the girl Lucilla casting not one glance at Dickory. Impressed by the impulse that it was the proper thing to do, Dickory put on his coat and waistcoat and clasped upon his head his high cocked hat. Then he rapidly followed Mander to the beach, which they reached before the boat touched the sand.

When the man in the stern of the boat, which was now almost within hailing distance, saw the two figures run down upon the beach, he spoke to the oarsmen and they all stopped and looked around. The stop was occasioned by the sight of Dickory in his uniform; and this, under the circumstances, was enough to stop any boat's crew. Then they fell to again and pulled ashore. When the boat was beached one of its occupants, a roughly dressed man, sprang ashore and walked cautiously towards Mander; then he gave a great shout.

"Heigho, heigho!" he cried, "and Mander, this is you!"

Then there was great hand-shaking and many words.

"Excuse me, sir," said the man, raising his hat to Dickory, "it is now more than two years since I have seen my friend here, when he was marooned by pirates. We were all on the same merchantman, but the pirate took me along, being short of hands. I got away at last, sir" (all the time addressing Dickory instead of Mander, this being respect to his rank), "and

shipping on board that brig, sir, I begged it of the captain that he would drop anchor here and take in water, although I cannot say it was needed, and give me a chance to land and see if my old friend be yet alive. I knew the spot, having well noted it when Mander and his family were marooned."

"This is a great day for your friend and his family. But you must not lift your hat to me, for I am no officer."

For a long time, at least it seemed so to Dickory, who wanted to run to the cave and tell the good news, they all stood together on the sands and talked and shook hands and laughed and were truly thankful, the men who had come in the boat as much as those who were found on the island. It was agreed, and there was no discussion on this point, that the Mander family should be carried away in the brig, which was an English vessel bound for Jamaica, but the happy Mander would not ask any of the boat's crew to visit him at his home. Instead he besought them to return to their vessel and bring back some clothes for women, if any such should be included in her cargo.

"My family," said he "are not in fit condition to venture themselves among well-armed people. They are, indeed, more like savages than am I myself."

"I doubt," said Mander's friend, "if the ship carries goods of that description, but perhaps the captain might let you have a bale of cotton cloth, although I suppose—" and here he looked a little embarrassed.

"Oh, we can buy it," cried Dickory, taking some pieces of gold from his pocket, being coin which Blackbeard had furnished him, swearing that his first lieutenant could not feel like a true officer without money in his pocket. "Take this and fetch the cloth; it nothing better can be had."

"Thank you," cried Mander; "my wife and daughters can soon fashion it into shape."

When Mander and Dickory reached the house they did not stop, but hurried on towards the cave, each of them together, for each thought only of the great joy they were taking with their "Come out! Come out!" shouted Mander, as he ran and before they reached the cave its shuddering timbers had hurried into the light. When the cries and the tears and the embraces were over, Lucilla first looked at Dickory. She started, her face flushed, and she was about to draw back, then she stopped, and advancing held out her hand.

"I cannot be helped," she said, "anyway, you have seen me before, and I suppose it doesn't matter. I'm a sailor boy, and have to own up to it. I did hope you would think of me as a young lady, but we are all so happy now that that doesn't matter. Oh, father!" she cried, "it can't be, we are not fit to be saved, we must perish here in our wretched rags."

"Not so," cried Dickory, with a bow; "I've already bought you a gown, and I hope it is pink."

As they all hurried away, the tale of the hoped-for clothes was told, and although Mrs. Mander wondered how gowns were to be made while a merchantman waited, she said nothing of her doubts, and they all ran gleefully. Lucilla and Dickory being the dearest of the others, and Dickory said, "Now that I have seen you, thus, I shall be almost sorry if that ship can furnish you with common clothes, what you wear becomes you so."

"Oh!" cried Lucilla, "that's fine dattery, sir, but I am glad you said it, for that speech has made me feel more like a woman than I have felt since I first put on this sailor's toggery."

In the afternoon the boat returned, Mander and Dickory watching on the beach. When it grounded, Davis, Mander's friend, jumped on shore, bearing in his arms a pile of great coarse sacks. Those he threw upon the sand and, handing to Dickory the gold pieces he had given him, said: "The captain sends word that he has no time to look over any goods to give or to sell, but he sends these sacks, out of which the women can fashion themselves gowns, and so come aboard. Then the ship shall be searched for stuffs which will suit their purposes and which they can make at their leisure."

It was towards the close of the afternoon that all of the Mander family and Dickory came down to the boat which was waiting for them.

"Do you know," said Dickory, as he and Lucilla stood together on the sand, "that in that gown of gray, with the white sleeves, and the red cord around your waist, you please me better than even you did when you wore your sailor garb?"

"And what matters it, sir, whether I please you or not?"

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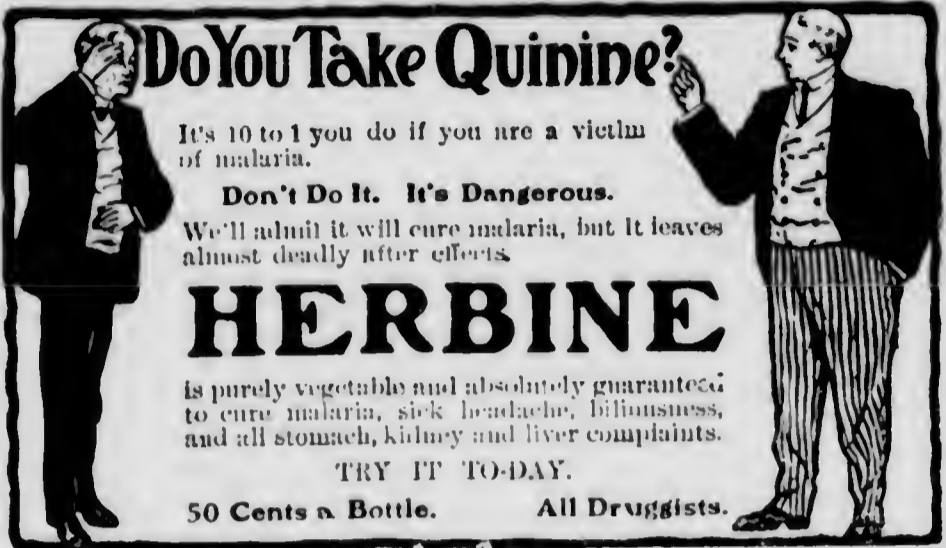
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All these things combined make it difficult to find used copies of the early issue of this country in fine condition. There were few collectors and therefore not many of these stamps were saved in unused condition. The consequence of this state of things is and will be an increasing difficulty in securing these stamps in condition as is acceptable to collectors who are at all particular as to the looks of their albums. There are vast numbers of United States stamps in poor ordinary condition. These many collectors take to fill the space in their albums until they can secure stamps of finer quality. This seems on the whole, to be a mistake, for the possession of a specimen, even though it be a poor one, causes a collector to neglect to secure another of the same stamp.

The desire to fill spaces that are vacant is greater than to improve those that are not properly filled. The best thing for the young collector, if he wishes to have a really pleasing is to put nothing into its space but unused, lightly canceled, clean copies of the stamps which he selects. The filling of the album properly will be appreciated within a year by those who care more for the issue of foreign countries, since the growing demand will make it even more difficult than it now is to obtain fine specimens.

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Ex Secretary Arthur Root was talking about the humanity of judges.

"They are humane men," he said. "I could tell you many young stories of the pain they have suffered in the infliction of severe sentences. It is not altogether pleasant to be a judge."

"That is why I cannot credit a story that was told me the other day about a judge in the West. A criminal, on trial before this man, had been found guilty. He was told to rise, and the judge said to him:

"Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment before?"

"No your honor," said the criminal, and he burst into tears.

"Well," said the judge, "don't cry. You're going to be now."

A Tiny Watch.

An English watchmaker has just finished making a tiny watch in the form of a shirt studs. Its dial is two sixteenths of an inch in diameter, and it is to be worn with two others studs. By turning the upper stud you wind the watch, while by turning the lower one the hands are adjusted.

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It is impossible to study the tariff system of the United States inductively, giving due heed to the influences of our system upon the industry of the country, without noting the important part played by protection in making opportunities. Amidst all our prosperity, the rise and fall in prices, the betterment of the conditions in industry and the sudden decline and fall of many of these modern creations, the one striking fact which stands out in the forefront of it all is that the Protective System has furnished the opportunities for capital and labor, has diversified our industries and made the United States the chief manufacturing and producing country of the world.

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"I am nine years old today. Looked in the glass, but whiskers ain't sproutin' yet."

"Sassed a boy. Got licked."

"Pop borried ten cents for carfair, that makes \$1.15 he owes me. Wonder if he ever get it."

"Jimmie—stole my ball. I licked him for it."

"Ast Pop for some of my money and he giv me a nickil. I want that dcler."

"We feloes got up a baseball club to-day. I'm pitcher. It I had that dcler I could get a unaform."

"Pop got paid to-day and giv me my money."

"Mamma barried a dcler. Dam these people anyway. A feloe can't save nothin."

"Ast Pop about banks. I want to put my money ware carfair ain't so skarse."

"Got licked again."

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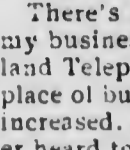
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